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In re the Application of

Inventor: Chiung-Shien WU

Art Unit: 2664

Appln. No.: 09/591,502

Examiner: W. Schultz

Filed: January 15, 1999

For: MEDIUM ACCESS CONTROL PROTOCOL  
FOR MULTI-CHANNEL SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 14, 2002, please  
amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend the claims as follows and add new claim 31  
(Exhibit I contains the marked up copy of the amendments).

1. (Amended) A multi-channel communication system for data  
communication comprising:

a first station;

a plurality of second stations; and

medium access control means for controlling operation of said  
data communication via one or more time division multiple access

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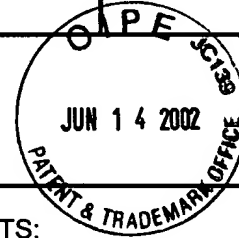
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Invention:

**MEDIUM ACCESS CONTROL PROTOCOL FOR MULTI-CHANNEL SYSTEM**



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